## **DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

Docket: D-3077

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR TREATING SLEEP APNEA** the specification of which

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